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**Request
For
Continued Examination (RCE)
Transmittal**

<i>O I P E</i> JUL 28 2006 PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE	<i>Application Number</i>	10/516,523
	<i>Filing Date</i>	30 November 2004
	<i>First Named Inventor</i>	DE'LONGHI, G.
	<i>Group Art Unit</i>	1761
	<i>Examiner Name</i>	Simone, T
	<i>Attorney Docket Number</i>	23139

This is a Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114

- a. Previously submitted
 - i. Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 filed 26 June 2006.
 - ii. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply brief filed _____.
 - iii. Other _____.
- b. Enclosed
 - i. Amendment/Reply
 - ii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
 - iii. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
 - iv. Other _____.

2. Miscellaneous

- a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months.
- b. Other _____.

3. Fees

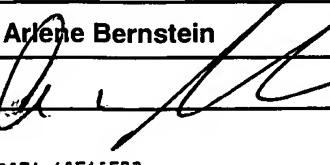
- a. The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees or credit any overpayments to deposit account 18-2025.
 - i. RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e).
 - ii. Extension of time fee under 37 CFR 1.136 or 1.17
 - iii. Other _____.
- b. Check in the amount of \$_____.
- c. Payment by credit card (PTO-2038 attached).

SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY

Name	Andrew Wilford	Reg. No.	26,597
Signature		Date	28 July 2006

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal service with sufficient postage as express mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Box RCE, Washington, D.C. 20231 on: 28 July 2006.

Name	Arlene Bernstein	EV790895560
Signature		Date